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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

The reply filed on 10/9/06 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): applicant now comes with claims directed at a headrest with an electronic speaker and a sound wave distributor. There is no support for this combination in the Fig. 9 embodiment, elected in the 6/28/04 paper, that is, Fig. 9 does not include "a sound wave distributor", nor is one discussed in the description of this figure in paragraphs 62-63. In this regard applicant's "Table 1" is not understood, what does "6:39-59" of the support col. mean? See MPEP 8.18.02(a). Furthermore applicant has failed to employ a proper claim numbering sequence again, in that the new claims begin with 85, when the last used number was 83. This should be corrected in the next response. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).


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